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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMUR

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C O N F I D E N T I A L KUALA LUMPUR 3395

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR PDIP MY VN

SUBJ: HANOI DELAYS OPENING OF MALAYSIAN EMBASSY

REF: A) KL 3028 (NOTAL) B) KL 3307 (NOTAL)

1. MALAYSIAN CHARGE-DESIGNATE TO HANOI, HASMY AGAM (REF A), TOLD EMBOFFS JUNE 16 THAT OPENING OF GOM EMBASSY IN HANOI HAS BEEN DELAYED. HASMY SAID THAT GOM WAS TOLD IN MOSCOW THAT THERE ARE CURRENTLY NO ACCOMMODATIONS FOR NEW DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN HANOI BUT GOM DELEGATION MAY BE ABLE TO PROCEED TO HANOI IN SEPTEMBER WHEN HOTEL SPACE IS EXPECTED TO BECOME AVAILABLE. DRV SUGGESTED THAT IN MEANTIME GOM DIPLOMATS FROM A THIRD COUNTRY BE ACCREDITED TO HANOI.

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2. HASMY CONTINUED THAT GOM CONSIDERED ACCREDITING

AMBASSADOR IN PEKING, HASHIM BIN SULTAN, TO HANOI BUT THIS IDEA WAS DROPPED BECAUSE OF UNCERTAIN STATE OF DRV-PRC RELATIONS. GOM THEREFORE HAS LITTLE CHOICE OTHER THAN TO WAIT FOR WORD FROM HANOI, BUT ULTIMATELY GOM PLANS TO OPEN EIGHT-MAN MISSION THERE.

3. AS COUNTERPOINT TO FOREGOING, NORTH VIETNAM AAPSO DELEGATION CHIEF LE DUY VAN (REF B) TOLD PRESS JUNE 13 THAT "FINAL PREPARATIONS" ARE BEING MADE FOR EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS. EMBASSIES WILL BE SET UP AS SOON AS "MINOR PROBLEMS" ARE SOLVED, BUT HE COMMENTED DRV IS "SHORT OF MATERIAL WEALTH" TO SET UP NEW DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS. HOWEVER, HE SAID DRV IS LOOKING FOR SUITABLE SITE IN K.L. AND GOM IS LOOKING FOR ONE IN HANOI.  
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